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### FEVER STATISTICS.

Synopsis of the Situation by the Marine Hospital.

OFFICIAL BULLETIN UP TO SEPT. 14

Quarantining Is Going Ahead at a Lively Rate, Several More Places Closing Their Portals Now to All From Fever infected Districts.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17,-The official bulletin of the Marine Hospital bureau will contain in his forthcoming issue a synopsis of the yellow fever situation, with a summary of the cases and deaths up to the 14th inst. The list of cases and deaths is lower than that reported in press dispatches from infeoted points, but they are all that are officially established. The summary by states is as follows:

Alabama-Mobile, Sept. 13, 1 case, no deaths; Sept. 14, 2 cases, no deaths. Louisiana-New Orleans, Sept. 8, no cases, 1 death; Sept. 12, 7 cases, no deaths: Sept 13, 3 cases, no deaths: Sept. 14, 5 cases, no deaths.

Mississippi-Earkley, Sept. 13, 8 cases, 4 deaths; Sept. 14, 1 case, no deaths; Edwards, Sept. 15, 12 cases, 1 death; Ocean Springs, Sept. 8, 4 cases, 2 deaths; Sept. 13, 1 case; Pascagoula, Sept. 10, 1 case; Sept. 14, 1 case, Perkinsion, Sept.

The synopsis covers the outbreakfrom its inception, with all the bureau orders, reports from surgeons and boards of health, etc., concerning the status of the fever at various points. It says: "A brief synopsis of the occurrence of yellow fever in the south is given as

"Beginning with report of Past Aselstant Surgeon Wasdin of Sept 3, stating that the situation at Ocean Springs needed investigation, and his detail to proceed to that place and make an investigation in connection with members of the Mobile board of health and his subsequent report of Sept. 6, stating that an autopsy made by himself confirmed the diagnosis of yellow fever, the representatives of the state board concurring, precautions were immediately taken by the bureau, directing Past Assistant Surgeon Wasdin to arrange for a cordon, employ necessary help and turn matters over to Surgeon Murray on his arrival and to notify the railroad agents that a cordon should be es-tablished to sell tickets only to points north of Washington or posits in mountainous districts and to keep a record of all persons leaving, with points of their destination, notifying the local authorities."

After detailing the assignment of surgeons to various points, the synopsis proceeds:

"The total number of cases at Ocean Springs Sept. 8 was two in a sick list of 40 persons, and one case, resulting in death, was reported from New Orleans, whose illness, it is stated, commenced at Ocean Springs. Train inspection at the Alabama line was established on the 9th. On the same day yellow fever was reported at Scranton, Miss. and several suspicious cases in one locality in Non Origans were examined by experts of the Louisiana state board of health train inspection of the Louistana line having been inaugurated seve eral days previously by the Louisiana board. On the 10th six new cases of sickness were reported by three physicians at Ocean Springs. The suspicious case at Scranton was examined by Dr. Guneras and reported to be yellow fever. On the 19th Surgeon Carter reported a case at Perkinston Miss., contracted at Ocean Springs"

The report then refers to the 12 suspicious cases reported on St Claude street. New Orleans No positive diagnosis of yellow fever was made. Nine of the cases recovered, and the remaining three are doing well

The situation at Mobile Barkley Filoxi and Fdv ards is referred to and the many official dispatches showing the various cases are reproduced. These have been already published.

The bulletin will also contain the full report of Dr. Wasdin on the first yellow fever autopsy

The bureau received few dispatches during office hours yesterday. The surgeon general telegraphed an inquiry as to the rumored suspicious case at Augusta and received a reply from President Eugene Foster of the board of

health of Augusta, saying "Utterly false. Without a shadow of Wire me all infected foundation places.'

Surgeon Wertenbaker at Delaware Breakwater quarantine station, was ordered to ship immediately camp equi-

page to Wayeross, Ga. The surgeon general officially designated the detention camp near Ocean Springs as Camp Fontainebleau

### The Situation at Edwards.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 17 -The state board has it from Dr. Purnell, at Edwards, that three new cases of fever, which he has not yet seen, are reported. Has no new cases of yellow fever to report. There is great need for nurses, which the board will endeavor to supply. Purnell says people in the country want supplies from Edwards, and some of the Edwards people want to leave for their plantations. The board instructed him to enforce rigid quarantine and to fall any who violate the rules. Edwards is strongly guarded, as are the Austin and Champion places, the only country places infected. The board is hopeful of checking the disease. Meridian still refuses to let Alabama and Vicksburg trains pass, despite re monstrances of the board

The Boston Case Not Yellow Fever. BOSTON, Sept. 17 .- The health authorities of the city say that Franklin 8. Commut of Wellesley, a student at Johns Hopkins university, who died at

the Massachusetts Ceneral hospital

here alver his return from a trip to Jamaica, did not have yellow fever, as was at first suspected by several persons who saw Conant. Dr. Durgin, chairman of the board of health, says an autopsy was held and that no symptoms of yellow fever were found. Other officials say that death was caused by malarial fever. Conant's effects were fumigated early in the week.

### Why Atlanta Is Quarantined.

ATLANTA, Sept. 17.—Several southern cities, including Charleston, Chattanooga, Selma and Montgomery Ala. have quarantined against Atlanta. The cities quarantining against Atlanta do so because it is feared refugees might use their stay in Atlanta as a cloak for the securing of a certificate of health and might bring to these cities the germs of the disease.

Charleston Quarantines Atlanta.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 17 .- The board of health of this city has declared a rigid quarantine against Atlanta. Passengers and freight from Atlanta will henceforth be subjected to the same strict rules governing those from New Orleans, Mobile and other fever stricken

To Keep the Fever Out of Florida. JACKSONVILLE, Sept. 17 .- A quarantine proclamation was issued by the state health office placing a rigid embargo on persons, baggage and freight from all yellow fever points. Inspactors will be placed on all railways.

### One New Case In Mobile.

MOBILE, Sept. 17.-The board of health reports one new case of yellow fever, making five cases in all declared. There have been no deaths, one patient having been discharged.

Montgomery Takes Steps. MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 17.-The

city of Montgomery has quarantined against points in the state of Missis-

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games At Boston-

New York..... 0 2 2 0 0 2 0 2 0 -- 3 Boston ...... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 2-5 New York-Hits. 9: errors. 2. Boston -Hits, 11: errors, 5. At Baltimore-

Baltimore ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 1-Philadelphia ... 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 1 0-4 Baltimore-Hits, 12: errors, 1. Philadelphia-Hits, 10, errors, 3. Game called on account of darkness.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 1— 5 Washington ... 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0-Brooklyn-Hits, 13; errors, 0. Washington-Hits, 8; errors, 4.

### Standing of the Clubs

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	Cincinnati	. 67	50	.573
ł	Cleveland	. 60	59	504
	Washington	. 55	64	.462
	Brooklyn	. 55	66	.454
Į	Chicago	. 53	68	438
1	Pittsburg	. 52	67	.407
	Philadelphia	. 51	€ā	.425
ı	Louisville	. 51	71	.415
	St Louis	. 27	92	. <u>99</u> ?

### CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Signor Ascanio Branca Italian minister of finance, has resigned. Forty persons were drawned through

a steamboat coling n on the Volga. Fin have sold for \$10 apiece at Dawson CMy, and other prices are corre-

spondingly high President McKimey will leave Wash ngton on Monday for New England for

a further vacation The Albany postorfice was sold conditionally at auction for \$2.74 for non-

payment of a \$1 water tax. King Christian of Denmark fell and injured his chin and mouth while inspecting a fort at Ore Sund.

Daniel Goodman an employee of the Phanix Iron works of Phanixville, Pa., has fallen hear to \$500,000 in England It is reported that Queen Victoria may visit the German emperor her grandson next April on his own do-

main Cherok- Indians are at their annual game of poisoning thousands of fish in the Illinois river, Ark., and then eating th⊬m

Business men in Boston met to organize for the enforcement of the \$100 personal baggage clause on lines similar to the New York movement.

Senators Cannon and Pettigrew and ex-Senator Dubois have reached Tokyo and will have an interview with the

emperor on the silver question. Two men were injured by the collision of the Montreal night train to Boston with a local on the Central Vermont railroad at Essex Junction, Vt.

John Gardiner of Boston was arrested at Windsor castle and confined in an insane asylum. He wanted an English army to help him recover property in Boston.

The United States patent office is preparing proposed amendments to the existing international patent treaty which it will offer at the convention in Brussels next December.

### Accidentally Electrocuted.

SYRACUSE, Sept 17 -- Martin Dwyer, a laborer employed in the apparatus room of the Solvay Process company, was electrocuted by contact with a live wire in the room in which he was working. The wire caught him across the cnest and made a bad burn,

### Fined For Selling Mard Cider.

ALBANY, Sept. 17 .- Hard cider has again been held to be a liquor within the meaning of the liquor tax law. Jesse Agor of Carmel, Putnam county, has just been convicted and fined \$206 for selling hard cider without a liquor tex certificate.

### A MONSTER MEETING

The Hazleton Strikers to Be Addressed Tomorrow.

WOMEN HEADED RIOTS YESTERDAY.

Troops Led a Fine Chase From One Point to Another, the Disturbers Quieting Down at Word of Their Appearance.

HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 17. - The American Federation of Labor, with a membership of 500 000, has taken up the cause of the mine workers in this region. Their organizers are already at work here, and when this has been completed a uniform scale will be formulated and presented to the operators. There will be no marching nor anything in the way of a demonstration, and no attempt will be made to bring about sympathetic strike movements.

At the mass meeting tomorrow at Old park addresses will be made by Peter J. Maguire, vice president of the Federation and general secretary of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of Philadelphia, and George Chance of the Philadelphia United Labor league. Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation, and Frank Mormson. secretary may also speak

Concerning the story that Eugene V. Debs will speak at the meeting, the strike leaders say that if he comes it will not be at their solicitation. No invitation has been extended to him, and they do not believe he will be here.

The work of organization is being done by the sending of emissaries by twos and threes from mine to mire, and every effort is being made to avoid the appearance of a demonstration.

The peace prevailing during the past few days was broken by a conflict be-tween striking and working miners, which for a time threatened to be senous. A body of about 150 men and boys, led by a score or more of women, made a raid on the Carson, Star and Monarch collieries at Honeybrook, near Audenreid. The women as well as their followers were armed with clubs and stones, and before the 300 workers could be induced to come out the missiles were used. Some of the women stationed themselves on the top of a culm bank and pelted the workingmen with stones. One Hungarian was clubbed over the head and badly injured, but no further harm was inflicted.

The encounter was the direct result of an attempt to start up the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre collieries. Despite the determination to remain out until Superintendent Lawall was heard from shape and other distinguishing characteristics regarding the 10 per cent advance demanded, a number of Hungarians and Italians reported for work. As soon as this news reached Bunker Hill and Honeybrook the attack was made, each colliery being visited in turn.

The superintendent called for the assistance of Sheriff Scott of Schutlkill county, in which Honeybrook lies, and that official made a demand on General Gobin for a body of soldiers.

A battalion of the Eighth regiment under Colonel Magee hurrielly marched from their Audenreid camp to the scene of the trouble but, as usual it was over and the men scattered when the sold.ers reached there.

Colonel Mag-- received a report of the occurrence and made a demonstration with the idea of subduing the furbulent inclinations of the simkers

The mar h primeded through Hone brook, Bunker Hill and McAdoo Here the troops were halted, while the officers mad- a short recommonter toward S. ver Brook. Nothing of a suspicious character was seen, however and the troops were marched back to camp hot. meany and dust stained after a seven miles' tramp. The soldiers had not been out of sight ten minutes before a crowd of strikers pounced upon a equal near the Star washery and forced them

Strike In St. Louis District Over.

ST LOUIS Sept IT -The coal miners strike is over so far as the district supplying the St. Louis market is concerned. Seventeen mines in the Sixth Hillmois district have resumed work. It is probable that all the small operatorin the district will come into line before the end of the week. The representatives of the strikers were met by 17 of the independent operators. The men a take the matter till be re-enforced submitted a proposition for a scale of If cents a ton too veight, mine run After a long consultation it was a epted yesterday evening. The big consolidated and Madison companies ignored the call for the conference and probably will not be able to get men to ing coal for them until they sign the

### The Peace Treaty Initialed.

LONDON Sept. 17 -The correspondent of The Daily Mail at Constantinople says. "The embassadors of the powers at yesterday's meeting of the peace conference, at which Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, was present initialed all the articles of the peace treaty, which will be signed tomorrow."

### Suicide In a Buffalo Jail.

BUFFALO, Sept. 17.-Fred Lampe, a German laborer committed suicide by strangling himself with a hedsheet in one of the wirness rooms of the Erie County jail. He was awaiting the making out of the necessary papers to commit him to the Buffalo State hospital

### Want Sohmer For Mayor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17 -Representatives of a German society here urged upon John C. Sheehan, the Tammany Hall leader, the advisability of bringing out William Sohmer, the register of records, as Democratic candidate for LUETGERT ON CRUTCHES.

Got Hart In a Boxing Bout-More Ex

pert Evidence In the Trial. CHICAGO, Sept. 17 .- Yesterday was given over to expert testimony in the Luetgert trial, and the attorneys for the defense and the witnesses for the state wrangled vigorously regarding femura of human beings, femurs of sheep and of hogs. When court adjourned for the day, the fight was still on. When court opened yesterday, the defendant came in upon a pair of crutches. He said that he had a badly sprained ankle, the result of a fall while sparring a friendly bout with one of the guards in the jail. The principal witness of the day was Professor Dorsey of the Field Columbian museum, who took the stand for cross examination. Attorney Vincent, for the defense, made it his business to show the pury that Professor Dorsev did not know anything about bones anyhow and that he was densely ignorant on the subject of femurs.

The closing hour of the afternoon session of the Luetgert trial was lively. Attorney Vincent, for the defense, made a supreme effort to break down the professor's evidence. After a number of questions touching upon the qualifications of the witness to testify as an expert Attorney Vincent picked up a handful of bones and holding them out to the witness, asked him to identify each one of them. Professor Dorsey refused to attempt to do so without first having an opportunity to examine

"Can you do it?" shouted the attorney for the defense. "If you are the expert you claim to be, it should not be difficult for you to name these bones."

This exasperated the witness, and Assistant State Attorney McEwen came to his aid with an objection, which was sustained by the court. But Attorney Vincent was not to be stopped by objections "Did you ever dissect a hog?"

he inquired.
"No, sir." answered Professor Dorsey There was an objection to this line of cross examination, and Attorney Vincent arose to explain that he wished to show that the femur of a hog was identical with the femur the state had introduced and which Professor Dorsey had identified as the right femur of a human being. After further questioning with reference to whether or not Professor Dorsey had ever dissected a calf or a sheep, and receiving a negative reply as to the former and an affirmative answer to the latter animal. Attorney Vincent suddenly asked. "How do you know, then, that

this is not a call's femur?" "Because from a careful examination of it I believe it to be a human femur." replied the witness.

"Why do you consider it the femur of a woman?" "Because it is smooth and has the

teristics of the female femur." replied

The prosecution expects to rest its case tomorrow.

### NO NEGRO FOR THEM.

A Georgia Colored Postmaster Murdered In Cold Blood.

HOGANSVILLE Ga., Sept. 17.—Isaac H. Loftin, a well known negro politician, whom President McKinley recently appointed postmaster at this place, has been murdered. Loftin's anpentment aroused considerable opposition, and it is rumored that the persons who did the shooting have formed a kuk'ux association for the purpose of meting out the same fate to all negroes who get federal places in this vi-

Loftin was found in his home shot to many places but although he was still alive, he could not tell the names of his assailants. The shooting has aroused the federal authorities in this city, and they have wired the facts to Washingten Loftin was one of the most influential negroes in the state and was a hard vorker or McKinley at the St Louis contention

### Convicts Still Cause Trouble.

MONTREAL Sept 'T-The situation at St Vincent in Paul penitentiary is unchanged The floring continues a ntervals and word has been received from tale hearers among the convints that a bomb is hillen in one of instone piles in the prison yard for the purpose of break na down one of the prison walls. The " needs are on bread and water diet and keepers are kepr busy so mking izo ost the cell doors with big haniners to keep prisoners artake in dayt, he so this will sleep at

### MICHAEL AT IT AGAIN.

His Successful Go at the Ten Mile Bicycle Track Record.

SPHINGFIELD Mass, Sept. 17-In an arrempt to lower the ten mile record Jimmy Mahae the Weish wonder broke all American records from two miles up His time with the best previous American leionis was as fol-

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### Died at the Age of 110.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Sept. 17,-Sarah Elmodorf, a colored woman, died at the home of her daughter. Mrs Judson Dorsey, at the age of 110. She was born in Theter county and was a slave in the family of General Sharpe's ancestors.

Ether Kills an American Lady. LONDON, Sept 17-Mrs. Elizabeth 211 ser, an American, died at Oxford While under the influence of ether adminimized for a surgical operation.

Savage Attack on President Diaz, Mexico's Chief.

ASSAILANT FAILED IN HIS PURPOSE.

He Was Seized by an Army Officer and Then Hurrled Away by the Police. Various Theories as to the Cause of Onslaught,

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 17 .- An attack was made yesterday on President Diaz as he was proceeding from the palace to the alameda to distribute medals to the survivors of the war. The city is in a fever of excitement

and the stories generally are conflict-The most reliable version of the affair is that as the president was entering on foot the alameda or Central park of the city a middle aged man armed with a long poniard, jumped forward from the crowd and made an attempt to stab the president.

He was at once seized by the president's suit and the police and heavily handcuffed. Then by side streets, under a strong

guard, he was taken to the Fourth and pointe station house. The president was walking, as is his custom, on Independence avenue and was between Minister of Communications Mena and General Berriosabai

minister of war. General Mena grappled with the would be assassin, who was at once disarmed and handed over to the police. The excitement among the foreign

olonies was intense. Yesterday was the anniversary of the declaration of independence. The attack on the president was made

pust before the military parade started Rumors of various kinds soon floated around among the crowd, and the excitement became intense. The assailant was a middle aged man, with long, dark hair and a prominent nose. He looks something like an Ital-

ian. The attack may be the result of the recent propaganda here against al forms of anarchists One Jose Ventre, from Spain, has just been expelled from the country and sailed two days ago on the Ward line steamer for New York,

Another version, that the man was simply presenting a petition, is not be-

The prisoner's name is Ignacio Anulfo The ceremonies were not interfered with, and the parade started on time and was reviewed by the president, as planned at the national palare

President Porfirio Diaz of Mexico is among the foremost statesman of the new world. He is justly conspicuous not only on account of the success which has attended his military operations and Civil government of a republic which had long been the prey to strife, but also on account of the progressive spirit with which he has infused his

countrymen He was born in the city of Caxaca. the capital of the state of that name. S- pt. 15, 1939

His father and mother belonged to the upper middle class having both Spanish and Indian blood in their veins Diaz vas a born soldier - His earliest ov- were gune and swords. He became a student at the seminary of Oaxaca and studied theology and ca-

ni nical las-From 1854 down to the present Diaz has been almost continually in his counrry's service. When the united Liberals eventually broke the power of Santa Anna, he was a captain. In the war of reform which followed he rose to the rank of colonel. He became a brigade commander in 1862 and a general in the early part of the so called Maximillan

He was first elected to the presidency of Mexico in 1976, and the country has prospered under his five successive administrations.

His entire life has been one of suceas and he is popular throughout Mexico. He has had many thrilling ad-.-ntures both on and off the battlefield. and has been pronounced dead at having been chought that be had been

### Ir world Wen Killed in a Storm.

FORT WAYNE Sept. 17 -A severe virdatorm saeut over the city and vi nnitir. do ng chas derable damage and farally injuring three men. They are Gorge K Buckenberger Fred Wear and Andrew La tifer. The men ame njured by falling bricks from dime'and thorneve. Telegraph and take home views were thin rated and ionsuera le damage line ti cara- ar a plate grass a clow's information . . . . . . .

Now For Australlin Tellingo, SYDNEY Sept U. The cor or eatly appointed by the move. nquire into the practice to ig toheero in the cology iemany of the farms contained the contain sest tobacco land in the An'l Ar ax oreses the opinion that have a former on why the colony shot, a controduct every kind of tobacco.

### Will Stunt Down the Lynchers,

VERSAILLES Ind. Sept 17. - As Ripley county was shaken to its foundation by the lynching of the five burglars so it is shaken now by the knowledge that all the power of the state will be employed to hunt down the lynchers. But the people of this town smile and say that nothing will ever be done, The militia may be summoned at any moment to preserve order and aid in capturing the lynchers.

Theatrical Manager's Sudden End. SYRACUSE, Sept. 17,-Joseph Keeler, nanager of "The White Slave" company, which just concluded an engagement here, expired suddenly of scute paeumonia.

### HE USED A PONIARD. WED A HOUSEKEEPER

Sensational Story About the Heis to the Austrian Throne.

### MAY HAVE MARRIED A COMMONER.

The Report Causes Wuch Talk In Berling While the Court Circles In Vienna Are Agitated and Deny Its Truth In Toto.

BERLIN, Sept. 17 .-- A sensation has been caused here and elsewhere by the statement that the Archduke Franz Ferdinand, son of the late Archduke Kari Ludwig and Princess Annunciati, daughter of the late King Ferdinando Il of Naples, helr presumptive of the throne of Austria-Hungary, was married in London last week to a middle class lady from Kohlscheidt, near Aix

The Kolmsche Volks Zeltung says the lady's father was formerly a mine manager, that one of her brothers is a clergyman of Essen and that another brother is a trade man of Aix la Cha-

The Lokal Anzeiger adds: "She is a former housekeeper of Herr Krupp, the great iron manufacturer of Essen. where she met Atchduke Franz Ferdinand. The couple have gone to Al-

A dispatch received here from Vienna says that considerable irritation is displayed in court circles there over the report of the clandestine marriage of the heir presumptive to the throne and that denials have been issued as to its

The sensational report of the marriage of the Austrian heir presumptive recalls the suicide or murder of Archduka Rudolph, crown prince of Austria, on Jan 30 1899, at Meyerling. All the facts in the case have never been cleared up satisfactorily, but his death was the direct or indirect result of his love for a young and beautiful Austrian lady Baroness Marie Vetsera, whose dead body was found near that of the

### Two May Have Been Drowned.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17 - The relatives of Mrs. Marie McDonald, and her daughter, Mrs Morns, of Bulls Ferry road, Guttenburg, N. J., are fearful that both ladies were drowned in the steamboat collision on the Hudson river Wednesday night: Mrs. McDoneld, with her three daughters, all of whom are married, were on the ill fated Catskilli Only two of them. Mrs. Herman Klein and Mrs. William Prosser have returned home. The other two are missing. The four ladies were sitting on the upper deck of the steamer and work thrown down by the force of the collision, Mrs. Klein being rendered unconscious Mrs Prosser and Mrs. Klein wers taken off in-a-rowboat, but neither aftervard saw the mother nor sister. An of the nospitals and hotels have been searched by the anxious relatives of the two women without success, and it is believed that both were drowned. The Timmermann lad, reported drowned,

### was rescued.

Interesting to Steel Rail Makers. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 17.-Information was received in this city direct from Tokyo that the Japanese government has finally adopted for the 1M miles extension of the Imperial rails way on which contracts are about to be awarded the 60 pound section known in America as the Pennsylvania rallroad standard. This action on the part of the Japanese government will work in the interest of American mills, inasmuch as the English sectional stand. ard, previously employed, requires special rolls and additional handling of rails. The Pennsylvania standard of # pounds to the section means that exery ward of steel rail shall amount 60 pounds in weight, this being aboult 96 tong to a mile of track. It is experted that the pending award for the mat-rial for the new section for the Importal railway will come to this

### Blg Company Incorporated.

TRENTON Sert II - Art. Hes of in-<u>corporation has a need with the </u> secretary of state by the American Chucose Sugar Refining company, with an authorized capital stock of \$5,000,000. The company is organized for the purpose of refining sugar and starch from Indian core and is also such trized to lead in cathe and live stock. The incorporations are Thomas A. McIntyre, Widiani H. Barnett and Fredrick L. Middl brook, all of New York, and J. C. Marshall of Grands N. J.

### Supreme Court In Ige Appointed,

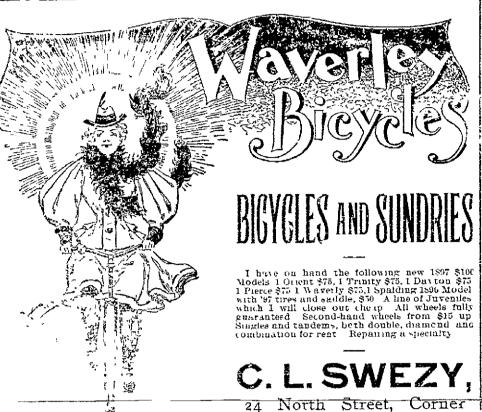
ALEANY Sept I -- Covernor Black has appointed Mr. William H. Cohen of New York (my is a justice of the supreme court for the First Judicial district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Sedgwick Mr Cohen was admitted to the par in 1893 and had figured prominently in many important httgations. If a appointment was recommended by a number of the justices. of the supreme court and by many leading members of the far of News York

### Chinese Persecutions Again.

LYONS, France Sept 17 - Word has been received here that the Catholia missionaries are again suffering severe oppression from the Chinese near Yaoping, in the district of Kwang-tung. The natives have been persecuting the Christians, burning their houses, destroying their crops and putting converts to the torture. The missionaries have requested the French consul to intervene in their behalf.

Brussels Mas No Use For Levise. BRUSSELS, Sept. 17.-Louise Michel, the notorious Franch anerchist, has been expelled from the stry by the page \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* It has been said that hypocrisy is the homage which vice pays to virtue. Such is the case with the host of imitations of

## Allcock's Porous



### NOW IS THE TIME

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At its encampment at Buffalo, N. Y. the Grand Army of the Republic elected Col. J. P. S. Gobin, of Lebanon, Pa., commander in chief for the coming year. Col. Gobin comes of old Pennsylvania revolutionary stock. He was a lawyer at the outbreak of the war, but enlisted at once in the Forty-seventh Pennsylvania, and came out at the close of the war its colonel and a brevet brigadaer general for gallantry in action. He has been an active grand army man for 30 years, was department commander of Pennsylvania in 1886, and has been in-



terested and helpful in every work that promised benefit to his comrades. He is a lawyer, and brigadier general of the Pennsylvania national guard

an organization is accentuated by the

The total membership of the order în good standing June 30, 1896, was 7,302 posts with 340 610 members; on December 31, 1896, 7,276 posts, with 327,412 members; on June 30, 1897, 7,106 posts with 319,456 members The gain by mustering in was 10,534; by trarsfer, 4381, by reinstatement, 11 207, from delinquent reports, 6.807; total, 32,929. The losses were: By deaths, 7515, honorable discharge, 1.257; transfer, 4.642; suspenson, 30,771; dishonorable discharge, 411; by delinquert reports, 8.981; by surrender of charter, 606; total, 54.183 Including the members remaining suspended June 30, 1897 (43,500), the total borne on the rolls, 362,816.

The report of Quartermaster General A. J. Burbank showed receipts of \$16,-859, of which \$9,106 came from the per capita tax, and expenses of \$19 722 The balance on hand being \$7,711, the credits to the different funds being as follows. General fund \$162, Grant monument fund, \$5.737; Sherman monument fund \$221; Southern memorial fund \$1.593 The assets amount to \$9.250 and there is \$16,000 in United States bonds

### SIR ELONDIN ELCOD

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Gen Sir Biondin Bicod, commander tier is filminar with every foot of the mounteen territory under his charge, and is lifewise familiar with the charrefer of the believe Afghans with y hom he has to do it. The general tool part in the Afgach war if 1879-1980 and was awarded a gold medal for his services in that conflict. He is 35 years old and a ripe and seasoned soldier. He joined the royal engineers in 1860 and won a medal and clasp in the Jowaki



(British Commander on the Afghan Fron-tier)

Blood was sent on the Egyptian expedition, and there, too, won high praise from his superiors. He was mentioned in the dispatches, presented with a ated with the fourth-class Osmanieh and brevetted lieutenant colonel. Two years ago he was again sent to the a second-class district in India, with rank of brigadier general.

Sending a (Rild by Post. A novel parcel for delivery by express ost was handed in at the Birmingham | Double Fold Coshmeres post office. A workingman, who had been out of fown with his three-yearold child, arrived at Berningham in time to reach his place of business, but not in sufficient time to take the child home. He therefore walked into the pard regrest post office and tendered the Jo-Inch Black Serge. connector as an express parcel. The

### OLD SERVANT MURDERED

The Unknown Slayer Used a Knife, Which the Coroner New Has.

NEWRIIRG, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Bridget Hayes, 58 years old, was found dead in the bathroom in Levett Carpenter's house on Grand avenue, near North street. The woman had been assaulted, and her throat had been cut. The crime was discovered by Henry F. Carter, a young man living near by.

The Carpenter family had been away for about six weeks. Mrs Caipenter and her two children were visiting at the home of her father, Thomas Westlake, at Prospect Hill Mrs Carpenter intended to return home soon, and yesterday she came down to Newburg with her father to see about having the plumbing in the house overhauled betore the family again took possession.

Bridget Hayes who was a dome-tie in the family, had been directed to put the house in order before the family re-

Under the bureau in the dead wuman's oor conner Prest found a blood stained carving, knute

On the bureau was the woman's poste book. It contained a notice change. A few pennies lay beside it on he bureau. There is as yet no clew to the muiderer.

Havnes Trial Well Under Way. WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept 17 -The principal witness at yesterday afternoon's session of the Haynes murder trial was Mrs. Mary Carr, mother of Mrs Mary Crouch one of the murdered women. With terrs in her eyes and with a trembling voice she told of the visit of Haynes and the two women to her home on the evening of the murd r of how they spent a pleasant, social evening of how Soldier Haynes actel the pair of a gentleman and how the tio, with laughter ringing in the air left the Carr residence, and that was the last time the women were seen

Fencing and Absent-Bindedness.

Tencing is an every'se recommended to maidens who lack self-control. There is no doubt it teaches ag Lty and develops physical graces. It might prove a cure of "absent-mindedness" if that complaint survives an age of bicycles and trolley. In town, at least, one must keep one's wits from wandering and rever become so shearbed in thought that one forgets the dargers of a street crossing. Truly the day of the "absert-m'r,'cd" is over; the sun wert down on it when preumatic tires were introduced.

Gem Plants.

Among the curiosities of tropical plant life are the pearls found occasionally in the cocoanut palm of the Philippine islands. These pearls, like those of the ocean, are composed of carbonate of lime. The bamboo also yields another precious product, in the shape of true opals, which are found in its

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September, 1847

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a dozen or more colors to choose from, 25c value, at sale 19c a yard. All-Wool Cashmeres,

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Elegant Silk-Finished Henrietta,

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Our great Underwort Sule of last week has broken all records. Is it any wonder, when values average \$1 for 50, outlay? These underwort prices can't last. Get your share of the matchless goods while you have the chance.

20 Dozen Ladies' Wool Camel Hair Grey Vests,

Only they are heavy winter goods. A lot that our buyer picked up for us weeks ago at half price. We have marked them 50c each. Buy them now. When this lot is closed out we can never get anything like them at the same price.

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Men's White Merino or Gray Mixed Shirts and Drawets, at sole 25c each

Men's Gray Wool Shirts and Drawers.

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with long sleeves, usually 21c at sale 45c each Indies Fine Part Woo. Ribbed Vests, decellined, 50. quility, et sale 35c each Ladies Heavy Ribbed F ecce Lined Vests, value 59c, at sale 45c, cach Ladies Gray Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers. \$1 quality, at sale 75c each Ladies \$1.25 Gray Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers at sale \$1 each

Child's Underwear in white or gray merino white wool and camele hair at low prices during this great Underwear

2.000 Yards Good Shaker Flannel Many charge 10c for this quality At Tompkins this week,  $\mathcal{B}_{SC}$  a yard

50 Dozen Men's Seamless Tan Colored SoeIs, Usual price 3 pair for 25c. At Tompkins, this week, while they last, 4c a pair

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Red or White Table Cloth a good 25c quality 11 5c

Fach, White and Colored Bordered Pringed Boyles 10c grade At 98c a Dozen,

Large sized Linen Dinner Napkins At 10c Each. Rendy-made Pillow Cases

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(Commander in Chief Grand Army of the Republic.)

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GLN SIR PLONDIN BLOOD.

expedition of 1877-78, and was given the brevet of major for distinguished services during the Zulu war. In 1882 medal and clasp, a bronze star, decormountains as chief staff officer on the Chitral relief force and was decorated n K. C. B. for services in that campaign. List year he was promoted to command

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New Bell for the M. E. Church—New Bwellings-Cow Killed on the Track. Correspondence ARGCS and MERCURY.

-Through the efforts of Rev. Mr. the purchase of a bell for the M. E. Church and it is expected that it will be placed in position within a month.

-The new dwelling house erected by E. Mintram is completed and will be Ferwilliger; who moved in Tuesday.

-The schools closed, Wednesday, to ! allow the children to attend the Orange | pension Bridge and Niagara Falls. county fair.

-Henry McKenney is creeting a new house, which, when finished, will be occupled by the station agent.

-The Crawford branch train smut and I stantiv killed a cow at Barnes! crossing, Morday night. The animal was the property of B. Young.

SOUTH CENTREVILLE.

Entertainment at Presbyterian Church

Correspondence Analysias Marrian -The public is con Edily invited to inftovide Presbyt with Courch. Priday. evening, Sept. 17, at 8 o'clock. There talent, inter-persed with reading and how to rock the baby to sleep. But the best in will be the pleasing comedy.— That in the samenger Advission (wordy-diversials, Children 15 cents)

\_The last preaching service for the She began to lay at a little frame: will be held at the Presbyte and

WOODSOURNE.

Injury.

Form specience of Arests and Millertail. -Widt Turior, eight years old, threai stormand hit his mother on the tempie. She fiduted away. Dr. Munson was called at once and she as botter at this writing.

-A gentleman boarding at Abner Merouts lost his paractions. A lady stop-ring at Silas Marriers found it and retorn - 11t

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WESTTOWN.

Festival at Eber Browns'

correspondence Auto - tad Mawcar

-The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. hurch, at Westtown, will hold a sociable at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Brown, on the lower road, on Friday evening of this week, Sept. 17. Refreshments will be served and a nice enter talure at will be given.

MOUNT HOPE.

Phonograph Concert. torrespondence Angus and Muncuny

-Harry Purdy and his phonograph concert company will give a concert in the Mount Hope church. Friday evening, S.pt. 17th. Admission ten and fifteen

cents. One-half proceeds for the church. SLATE HILL.

> New England Supper. Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCLRY

-The Epworch League of State Hill. will hold an New England supper at Mrs. Hanna Hull's, Wednesday evening, Sept. 22, 1897. Benefit for the M. E. Chapel. It stormy the next fair evening.

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General Passenger Agent J. C. Anderson, of the Ontario and Western; J. R. Hartshook, funds have been raised for Dunbar, the O. and W.'s General Eastern Agent; P. McDonald, O. and W. Emigrant Agent; R. Ten Broeck, General Eastern Agent of the Union Pacific; Thomas Butterfield, General Passenger Agent of the R., W. and O., and George occupied by Baggagemaster Charles | Flint, Passenger Agent of the Wabash, passed through this city, last night, on O. and W. train 5, on their way to Sus-

> Benth of a Rolstein Bull May Lead to Litigation,

A large Holstein bull sold to J. K. Mc--Mo-s Lizzie Van Orden has been ap-1 Voy, or Walden, at the recent auction pointed teacher get the White school sale oil.P.Covert, near Montgomery, was overcome by heat while Mr. Covert's hired man was taking it to Mr. McVoy's and died in the road. It is probable that litigation will grow out of the case for Mr. McVoy contends that delivery had not been made to him and that the loss therefore falls on Mr. Covert.

The Largest Peaches Yet.

Walter Harlos, of South Centreville, sent to this older today three peaches of tend an entertainment at the South Con- the Wheothan I variety which are by all oda the largest and most that we have -een the year, so tamous for big SEE OUR EXHIBIT AT THE FAIR with be some good to use from outside beaches. They were all of the same size and weighed nearly fourteen ounces each. restations. Perhaps we'll show you They were beautifully colored. Twenty of the pearlies. Mr. Harlos says, weighed Awelve pounds.

i Successful Wilk Can Raid.

H. B. D. Kay, of Vernoa, G. W. Hyatt. or Warwick, and S. W. Lager, Jr., or Montgonery, in company with Can Colbefor Bell and a raid last week out New York with dealer named Van Ar-dule and found at his place and the ar no rear which he pers les mile fifty. one stolen cars. The penalty is \$50 a Hit His Mother With a stone-1 Paintal can. Van Arsdale claims that he bought the can- in good hith.

Eliver Wedding.

Members of the Crawford family in this city and vicinity have received invitation to the elebration of the twentyfir's anniver-ary of the wedding of Mr. at d Mrs. W. B. Crawford, at Eric. Pa., Saturday evening Sept 25. Mr. Crawford is a son of the late Abram S. Crawford.

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Mrs. E. Doremus, of No. 12 Cortage

"It was only a backarle at first then evere acute pains. Urinary difficulty followed causing me to rise frequently during the night and the secretions were teverish. A cold or overwork increased the pain. Sometimes my physiciau ordered me to go to bed, at other times buckach-compelled me to and kept me there for three or four days. I have had no less than four physicians prescrib-forme. One said it was womb trouble, another said female complaint and still another kidney disorder. It did not make much difference what they pronounced the cause to be, all of them failed to cure me. I. with very little faith in their efficacy, obtained a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills' drug store. If I was sure I would have no return or my trouble I could say I am radically cured for I have not a symptom of my old complaint, but I have so often been disappointed by doctors' medicines that I have lost mith and confidence in any remedy. I have stopped taking Doan's Kidney Pills for I had no need of them. The pain is gone and Ifam improved in

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MAKING CELLULOID.

The Chemical Constitution is a Matter of Doubt.

Though the chemical constitution of celluloid is a matter of doubt, the art of manufacturing this peculiar modern product is explained in a few wordsan article made by the combined action of pressure and heat, or with the aid of solvents, in that case in the cold, says the Trade Journals' Review. The camphor is dissolved in alcohol, as little as possible, and the solution sprayed through a rose on to the pyroxyline, the latter perfectly dry, a second layer of pyroxyline being then added, moistened again with camphor solution, and so on; the gelatinous lump is worked between iron rollers, to which it adheres, and the layer is slit longtitudinally and rolled again.

The cakes, 0.4-inch thick, are cut into plates, about two feet by one foot, and pass for 24 hours into hydraulic presses, which are doubly steam jacketed. The mass is now sawed into plates, which are dried at about 95 degrees Fahrenheit for a week or two, and finally cut into smaller pieces, from which the articles are stamped. Further, according to a writer in the Gummi Zeitung, the method pursued is believed to consist in pouring 100 parts of ether on 50 of collodion wool and 25 of camphor, the covered mass being then storred in earthenware vessels with rubber stiels until a homogeneous gelatinous mass is obtained. and then rolled. Apart from dyestuff and other additions, the average colluloid consists of two-thirds pyroxyline and one-third camphor.

BALLROOM VERACITY.

Unfortunately for Dis Vosity He Over-heard a Dit of Conversation.

He was not the most graceful dancer in the world, and the first waitz around the room he stepped on her toes, caught her gown, and his get eral awhy ardness was so marked that propse began to look at them, says the Detroit Free Press. He blushed, blt his lip and stam-

"I—I'm so sorry, Miss Gracely, that I've spoiled your dance. Really, it's been so long since I danced that I've forgotten how. Please pardon-"

"Why, Mr. Scraper, I'm sure you're a graceful dancer. I've really nothing to pardon. I've enjoyed the waltz so much. If that awkward Mr. Paddle would keep out of folks' way dancing would be easy enough. He and Miss Waddle take up the whole floor. Mr. Scraper, you are one of the best dancers on the floor to-night."

At which Mr. Scraper felt much relieved and began to think he was overeautious in watching blmself. But five ninutes later he wanted to go home. when, in passing Miss Grocely, in a corper, with Mr. Paddle and Mrs Waddle,

"What a clown that Mr. Smaper is! Did you see him trying to dance with me? Such motions! Ob. dear! It dil mortify me so. And my poor feet! They're black and how. Just watch him now. People that can't dance ought at least to confine their antics to

"THEM THINGS IS CURN."

Police Court Lawyers Brought to Task for Their Bad Grammar.

inguing a case once before Justice Prindiville. It was a reple; in suit and the lawyer was making what he thought was an impassioned plea, says the Chicago Chronicle. He contended that the property in question belonged to his client. He waved his arms and sawed the air. As the peroration to his speech he shook his fist at the justice and bellowed in stentorian tones:

Instantly the opposing counsel sprang to his feet, his voice trembling with indignation. "I object, your honor," he cried, "to the gentleman's language. I am surprised to hear such a statement in a court of justice. I ask that the gentleman be compelled

just made-a highly improper statement, as your honor well knows."

able in the language. The objecting cousel drew himself up proudly and said: "He should have said: 'Those things are ours,' not 'Them things is ourn,' your honor." The counsel who had slaughtered Un-

Magnetized by Lightning. Among the curious effects ascribed to ightning is the magnetization of parts of rock struck by it, says the Detroit Tribune. The existence of such magnetized rocks has long been known, but the supposition that their condition was due in many cases to lightning has only recently been confirmed by a curious observation of Dr. Folgheraiter among the walls of ancient bundings on the Campagna near Rome. He found strong's magnetic points and zones in the walls, precisely like those occasionally encountered in rocks. The fact that the magnetization often included more than one block of stone in the wall was regarded as proving that the magnetic property had been acquired after the building was erected, and the agency of lightning was indicated by

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"Them things is ourn." to correct the statement which he has

Justice Prindiville leaned forward, and the political attorney, greatly bewildered, said: "What's your objection?" The justice repeated the question, being himself a trifle mystified as to what the lawyer found objection-

ele Sam's English scowled, the justice smiled and the trial proceeded.

neighboring cracks in the walls.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS. BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—Showers. this evening: fair and much cooler, Satur-

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermom eter at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 73°; 12 m., 76°: 3 p. m., 78°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION. -Sept 20-"The Great Train Robbery," at the

-Sept. 21-Trolleymen's picnic, at Midway Park -Sept 21-"Gersha," at Casino. -Sept 22-Excursion to New York via Eric Railroad

-Sept. 23-Mary Powell excursion. Sept. 'A-Annual festival and dance of Mc Quod Engue Co , at Assembly Rooms -Sept. 28 - Japanese Kettle Drum, at First Baptist Church.

-Oct. 1 and 2-Orange County Horse Show, at Goshen FRIDAY, SEPT 17, 1897.

### JUDICIARY CONVENTION.

Whereas, at the Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party, held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 20th day of September, 1896, it was unanimously resolved that the Chairman and Secretary of said convention be authorized to call the next Judiciary Convention of said district, and to effect its organization as temporary officers.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said authority, the undersigned do hereby call a Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party in and for the Second Judicial District, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 20th day of September, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of Mr. Justice Willard Bartlett, to be voted for at the ensuing general election. The ensuing general election.
Dated September 10th, 1897.
ARTHUR C. SALMON, Chairman.
JOHN W. LYON, Secretary.

Hog cholera, which in the last five years, has entailed heavy losses on New Jersey farmers, has again broken out in the southern part of the State and, undiscouraged by the failures of previous lit. attempts to hold the disease in checkthe health authorities are again battling with it.

"The world moves" is the announcement with which the esteemed Warwick Advertiser presaces the news of the appointment of a Republican postmaster at Edenville. The Advertiser is apparent y of the opinion that the world | nothing of value. moves a trifle laster than the Post Office Department headsman, who, in six months, has decapitated only about half a dozen Democratic postmasters in Orange county.

Congressman Odell, who was present at the conference at the White House at which Senator Platt tried to induce the President to take a hand in Greater New York politics, says that the President is as much interested in Republican success in New York as he is in his own State. Despite his "interest" in the contest the President will not interfere in any wayappointments for which the organization asked, but when Mr. Platt asked what he would advise concerning the Greater New York political situation he frozehim by saying. "Well, Senator, you know more about that situation than any living man. I would not presume to advise you." Those who are close to the President say that he will not allow himself to be dragged into the fight which came so serious that he had to return the organization is making on Low, being determined that if New York's next Mayor is a Democrat the responsibility shall rest on Platt and his advisers and not on the administration

OBITUARY.

Mrs Azelia H. speer.

From Our Goshen Correspondent

Mrs. Azelia H. Speer died at the home of her son, in this village, last evening at about 6 o clock, in the eighty-sixth year of her age

An operation was performed last Saturday for strangulated berma. It was ansuccessful, and her death is the result She has been a resident of Goshen for nearly thirty years, and is widely known and respected in this village.

The funeral will be held at Ballston Spa, the home of her early life, and her remains will be removed there to-mor

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WAS IT ANDREE'S BALLOON! BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

St. Petersburgh, Sept. 17.-A telegram from the interior of Siberia, says bat the inhabitants of the village of Antzifirowskoje, in Artic Russia, saw a balloon, believed to be Prof. Andree's, at 11 o'clock on the night of Sept. 14. The balloon was in sight for five minutes.

BEING TOWED TO PORT.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

OURLINSTOWN, Sept. 17 .- The overdue Anchor liner Circassia, which should have reached Glasgow on the 9th inst.. was sighted, this morning, off Kinsale Head, in tow of the British steamer

PICKPOCKETS AT WORK.

Light Fingered Gentry, Who Worked on Crowded Trolley Cars, Made a Big ; Day's Wages.

The pickpockets who came to this city to work the crowd at the fair seem to have confined their operations to the crowded trolley cars, for none or those who were their victims complained that they were robbed on the grounds.

The cars from Goshen, which during the rush hours were very heavily loaded, seem to have been where the pickpockets got in most of their work. In addition to the thefts reported, yesterday, a well known Walden business man was relieved of his wallet, which contained a \$50 bill and a number of bills of smaller denominations.

While returning to this city about 5.30 o'clock, John M. Talmadge, of Wawayanda, was robbed of his pocket book which contained quite a sum in eash and the following checks, none of which were endorsed, and all of which were drawn on the First National Bank: O. S. Fellows, \$98: same \$60; Charles Bacheller \$50; William Clark

About the same time a city official, while returning from the fair grounds. was "touched" for \$18.

When making the mail collections, last night, Carrier Adams found a celluloid covered memorandum pocket book in the mail box on North street, near Main. It contained Ericemployes' passes issued to J. C. Limbeck and Nettie Limbeck.150 Cole street. Jersey City, and a number of papers. There was no money in it and it is supposed that the thief, after rifling the pocket book, dropped it in the mail box as the easiest way of getting rid of

Mr. Marsh, of Phillipsburgh, while getting on a car at the fair grounds late vesterday afternoon felt a man's hand his pocket, but the car started at that moment and he was not able to seize the

A lady living near this city found on returning home, last night, that a small leather bag which she carried had been cut open. Fortunately it contained

Ex-Supervisor J. C. Hawkins, of Mt Hope, was singled out by pickpockets on a trolley car, Thursday morning. His pocketbook, containing \$7, and several promissary notes, was taken. He had \$50 m a vest pocket which the thief didn't get.

A pocketbook supposed to have been dropped by a pickpocket after the money had been taken out was found on the floor of the Erie waiting room, last night. It contained the marriage certificate of William Mullaly and Margaret Kavanaugh, who were married Dec. 25, 1844, by W. V. O'Grady, D. D., with James Dowling and Sarah Thompson as wit-He promised Mr. Platt to make certain nesses. Also a receipt from the Traders and Travelers' Accident Insurance Company in favor of B. G. Hughes. The pocketbook is in the possession of Erie Lgent Wright.

A Bad Case of Nose Bleed.

John Van Auken, of Port Jervis, sixtyfive years old, while fishing in the Delaaware, Wednesday evening, was attacked by bleeding from the nose, which behome. Thursday morning he went fishing again and there was a recurrence of the nose bleed. He lost so much blood that he became very weak and had to be taken home and a physician called.

FELL FROM A TROLLEY CAR.

Lucky Escape of a Young Man from Montgomery.

A young man who gave his name as Al Judson, of Montgomery, and who was rather wabbly as to his legs, tried io nide on the foot board of a trolley ear, this morning. He lost his balance and toppled over backward into the street, in front of Young's clothing store. He escaped with a trifling scalp wound and soiled clothes

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A Theater Party,

The Misses Haslam, of West Main street, entertained a party of ladies and gentlemen from Newb, rgh, Thursday, who formed a jolly theatre party at the Casmo last night. In the party wer Mis. A. E. Layman, the wife of one of Newburgh's best city editors, Misses Lilhan and Jennie Cornell, T. R. Rockham, J. E. Rodgers, Charles Spratt, D. Barker and Charles H. R. Thompson.

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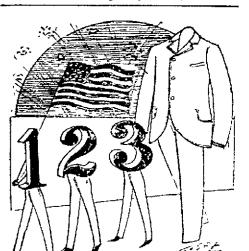
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-See C. Schwartz's card "Back again."

Notice to O. U. A. M.'s.
 Dress goods and silks cheap at Geo. B. Adam & Co.'s.

-"Geleha," at the Casino, Sept 21st -Dance at Columbia Park, to-night.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.

-"The Geisha," at the Casmo, next Tucsday evening.

-"The Great Train Robbery," at the Casino, next Monday evening.

-Miss Gumaer plays the Chickering grand piano at Columbia Park, to-night. Ladies are invited free.

-Ewald Bros., the Deckertown shoe manufacturers, recently received an order for 7,000 pairs of shoes.

 $-\Lambda$  great many families in this city have been entertaining friends from out of town during fair week.

-The ladies of the First Baptist (hurch are making a great effort to have a fine programme at the Japanese Kettle Drum, -With "The Great Train Robbery,"

at the Casino, next Monday evening. there will be six Comanche Indians. Don't fail to see them. -Stephen Brown and Fred Welninger.

of Port Jervis, are mourning the deaths of valuable dogs, which were poisoned by some unknown person.

### PERSONAL.

-Harry Snyder, of Poughkeep-re is in town visiting friends.

-A. P. Blood, of Ballston Springs is spending a few weeks in this city with -Martin Brooks, of New York city, is

visiting relatives and friends in this city -Dr. Prendergast of the Church of

Epiphany New York, and nier are visiting in this city. -Olhe Cooley, of Liberty Falls, is

spending a few days with relatives and friends in this city. -Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barth. of We-

hanken, A. J., are the goests of relatives in this city. -Mrs. B. F. Davis, of New York city,

and Mrs. Malcolm, of Astoria, L. I., who has been visiting relatives, and irrends in this city and vicinity, returned to their homes, this afternoon.

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LOST CHILDREN AT THE FAIR.

Two Little Walts from Newburgh Cared for by the Police-Claimed by Their Mother To-day-Her strange Story as to How the Youngsters Were Lost, Samuel Pitts, of the fair grounds police,

took charge, yesterday afternoon, of a bright little four-year-old girl, who was roaming about the grounds, evidently lost. No one came to chain her and about 7 o'clock he brought her to police hendquarters. No inquiries had been made for lost children there and Capt. Veber took the tired little one to lie home, where after she had had her supper, she curled up in Mrs. Veber's lap and sobbed berself to sleep. About the same time that Officer Pitts

found the girl, Officer Ballautine picked up a lost boy, three years old. just outside the entrance to the grounds. He brought the youngster to police headquarters and then took him home with

About 8 o'clock the police received a telephone message from Newburgh asking if a boy and girl had been found at the fair grounds. An affirmative answer was returned, and then came the information that they belonged in Newburgh, and that their mother would be up after them on the first train in the morning. Nothing was said, however, in explanation of how the children came to be left here.

The children's mother arrived on O. and W. train 1. She said that her name was Mrs. James Garriban, and that she lives on South Colden street where her husband keeps a grocery store. She further said that she and her ausband 1. Glen Lea Farm, 2 P. Cummings, Dechad arranged to come to the fair, and that it was agreed that she should come on the first train and that her busband should come on a later train with the children, Jennie and Martine, so as to avoid the crowd.

She says that she saw her husband on the fair grounds during the day and that he wanted her to take charge of the children, but as they seemed contented fort, Prince, 3. Brood mare and foal, H. with him she told him he had better with him she told him he had better J. Miller, Ella M., 1; Arden Farms, keep them and went on. She returned Linda, 2. Walnut Grove Stock Farm. on an early train and her husband came later without the children, saying that he had supposed she had taken them with her. Then the mother communicated with the police.

Mrs. Garriban seems like a bard working woman, with little guile in her make-up and does not look or act like the worse than careless mother that her story makes her appear. It is possible story makes her appear. It is possible gelding, two years, Frank Rogers, Fanthat she is putting herself in a bad light iny, 1: J. E. Mapes, Prince, 2. Brood to shield her husband, for some things mare and foal, J. E. Platt, 1; T. T. to shield her husband, for some things said by Jennie to Mrs. Veber make a plausible explanation of the affair that the father, who had charge of the childrev, got full and went off and forgot all about them.

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## THURSDAY'S BIG RECEIPTS

Names of More of the Winners of Premiums.

Races Attracted Many Visitors This Afternoon-Managers More Than Satisned With the Attendance and Interest Manifested-A Suggestion for the Puture-Wuch Credit Due the Ladies -Notes and Comments.

The county fair, which has proved successful far b-yond the most sanguine expectations of its managers, will come to a close this afternoon.

The attendance to-day, though of course far short of that of yesterday, is still much larger than usual on a last day. The explanation is, of course, to be found in the horse racing, which has proved such a popular feature.

The managers are satisfied that they made a wise move in returning to Middletown and permanently locating the fair here. The success achieved, this year, mak-s certain greater interest next year, and greater interest means larger and more varied exhibits and a finer exhibition.

Treasurer's Warring's report for Turusday was:

Men's admissions, 2,269; ladies, 3,-522; carriages, 207; grand stand. 527; boxes 47: membership tickets. 6. Total 6,579 or \$2,229.95. At Newburgh last year on the third day \$1,700 was taken

The suggestion is made that the popularity of the tair might be increased by making the last day a "sales day," when exhibits may be sold at auction by an auctioneer provided by the Society. The matter will be considered by the managers and may be acted on, for it is conceded that such a sale would attract many exhibitors and probably many purchasers.

The premiums have been awarded as iollows:

GUERNSEYS AND GRADES.

Herd 1st: bul, 3 years, 2: cow, 3 years 1: cow. 2 years, 2; helier, 2; helier calf, I, Franklin S. Kendall, Bull, 3 years. 1: bull cali, 1: cow, 2 years, 1: heifer, 1 year, 1. heifer calf, 2: grade cow, 1. grade heiser, 1, grade heiser calf, 1, C. A Browne, Walden. Bull, 1 year-L. H. Mapes, 1: Aiden Farms, 2 Cow, 2 years old—Arden Farms, 3. Grade cow. 3 years—A. Denniston, 2. Same exhibitor. grade beiter, 2.

NATIVE'S.

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DUTCH AND GRADED CATTLE. Herd 1st; bull, 3 years or over, bull,

2 years, 2; buil, 1 year, 1; bull cale, 1; cow, 3 years, 1 and 3; heifer, 1 year, 1; heifer calf. 1. grade cow. 3 years or over. 1: grade cow. 1; grade heifer. 1. Mrs. S. A. F. Servin. Bull. 2 years, "Lord Burnside," 1. bull 1 year, "Battery," 2. beifer, 1 year, "Lorine," 2 calf, "Mabel K." 2. grade cow. 3 years, 2: grade heifer 3. Holbert & Knapp. Bull, I vear. G. M. Hallock, 3. grade heifer, Robt t'arr. 1. SHORT HORNS.

Four bulls, 1, 2 and 3 years and calf, and 2 year heifer, all 1, cow. 1, John L. Coffin Short Horn grade - Cow, 6 years, 1; 5 years, 2; heller, 2 years, 3; W. E. Wallace. Judges recommended \$10

for Mr. Coffin's herd.

Draught horses-Stallion four years or over, Gleu Lea Farm, 1; mare, George M. Hallock, 1, matched pair, J. S. Murray, Goshen, 1. Roadsters-Stallion and nve of his colts, C. E. Sayre, 1. Stallion four years or over, Walnut Grove Stock Farm, 1. C. E. Sayre, 2; W. D. Stratton 3. Stallion three years, Arden Farm, Kabledan, 1. J. S. Murray, Budd Wilkes, 2. Stallion two years, G en Lea Farm, Decatur, 1 C W. Roberts, 2 W. J. Smith, Polonius, Jr., 3. Stadion one-year, C. E. Sayer, 1; E. H. Larue, Thos. Watts, Jr., 2. Frank Puseuberry, Charlie B. 3. Mare or gelding, five years or older, old Homestead Farm, Darling ord, orator, 3. Mare or gelding, four years. H. J. Miller, Ella Madison, 1 C. E Sayer, Polly, 2, W. O. Dunning, Keybell, 3 Mare or gelding, three years, Cornwall Farm, Leona, 1 Wallkill Valley Stock Farm, Emily D., 2. Old Homestead Farm, Miss Gothard, 3 Mare or gelding, two years, Arden Farms, Neuroze, 1:S. G. Lent, 2. Mare or gelding, one year, Cornwall Farm, Baby Ruth, 1. H. J. Miller, Fenton Wilkes, 2; w. J. Compart Prince 3. Record mare and feel H. Lavina, 3. Matched pair, J. W. Thorn, Pair matched carriage horses, Daniel
 Myers, 1. Pair ponies, Campbell
 Farm, 1. Pony under tourteen hands. A. P. L. Rifenbary, Georgie, 1, Campbel Farm, Babe, 2. All work horses, stal lion, four years old, James M. Mills, Al derman, 1. Stallion, one year, L. H. Stage, 1. Mare or gelding, four years, Glen Lea Farm, 1. Mare or gelding, three years, Glen Lea Farm, 1. Mare or Hulse, 2. Matched pair, George M. Hallock, Jr., 1st. A. V. Myers. 2d. W. W. Hull, 3d.

VEGETABLES.

Collection of vegetables, 1; lima beans. 1; beans, any variety, 1; collection of cabbage, 1; cauliflower, 2; carrots, 1; celery, 1; erg plant, 1; radishes, 1; salsity, 2; lettuce, 1; tomatoes, 2; turnips,

Continued on page eight.

The Colt Bace a Walk Sver for Phil Has-

The colt race had but two starters, and it proved almost a walkover for Phil Hasbrouck's Bonnie Jay, who won in the easiest possible manner in 2.52%, 2:51% and 3:02%. Considerable amuse ment was created in the stand when the judges hung out the time of the last heat as 2:62%. Mr. Hasbrovck made a lucky purchase when he secured the colt, several werks ago, for \$60, for he won first, third and fourth money of the stakes and his share of the \$50 added by the society. The genial superintendent was compelled to submit to a pile of good-natured chaffing when the colt won his last heat in "2.62K."

The 2:24 class trot was very interesting and served to hold the crowd's keenest interest until the deciding heat. Nora L. won the first two heats rather easily, but the struggle for second money between Nellie La Rue and Vanity was a fine exhibition, the former winning the place by a short head in the first heat, the second heat resulting in a dead heat for the position. The third heat was a horse race" until the stretch was reached, when Garland M. forced Nora L. to a break, and finally broke himself before reaching the wire. The judges awarded the heat to Nellie La Rue, who finished third, trotting squarely

In the nual heat Nellie La Rue had the pole, but Nora L. took it before the first turn had been made. The big mare was very lame, having struck her fore 1-g in the break in the third heat. She was game, however, and held her own in spite of the strenuous efforts of the other drivers to beat her out, winning the heat in 2:231/.

The summary:

Bonnie Jay, blk 2., by Bonnie Boy Consuelo, c. m., by Sable Glen Time-2-5214, 2 5114, 2,0214.

2 24 Class-Trotting; purse \$4(e.

"Budd" Murray exhibited a handsome three-year-old trotting stallion, between beats, yesterday afternoon. The colt is named Budd Wilkes, and he is a full brother to Less Wilkes (2:09) by Guy Wilkes out of Hannah Price.

BACK FROM SEATTLE.

Herd 1st. cow. 3 years. 1: cow, 2 years. 1. Arden Farms Balls, 1 year—
T. T. Hulse. 1 Cow, 3 years—A. Denniston, 2 and 3. Cow. 2 years—A Denthis top, 3 years—A Henry Trieble, or Dingmans, found that tickets and decided to defer their trip until spring. From Seattle they went to Coffee Creek, Cal., where tried mining. but not finding gold in paying quantities concluded to return east.

> Struck by a Train But Escaped Injury Charles Eider, an elderly farmer living near Huguenot, while driving across the track of the Monticello road. Wednesday evening, was struck by the Summitville train. His wagon was completely demolished and Mr. Eider was thrown over a fence into a field along the railroad, but strange to say his only injuries were a lew slight cuts and bruises. The team of mules attached to the wagon e-caped with a rew scratches.

Where It Doesn't Pay to Pick Peaches A Jerseyman from the vicinity of Two Bridges, who came to the fair, Thursday. said to an Argus man that peach growers in his section were letting the fruit rot on the trees and on the ground, for it didn't pay to pick it. Good fruit has sold in New York from nothing up to hiteen cents a basket.

Wedding Invitations Out.

nvitations to the wedding of their daughter, Fances, to Clarence Augustus Wickham, of Port Jervis. The happy event will take place at the home of Mr and Mrs Dorrance, 89 Linden avenue at 1 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 29.

We know the great cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla are genuine because the total meome, \$9,005,514, surplus after people themselves write about them.

THE RACES AT THE COUNTY FAIR.

brouck's Lucky Purchase-The 2:24 Class Trot a Most Exciting Contest.

The crowd which gathered upon the grand stand and along both sides of the track yesterday afternoon proved that the Agricultural Society made no mistake when it decided upon speed exhibitions as an attraction for the fair. The stand was filled to overflowing long before 2 o'clock, and fully two hundred people who applied for seats at the box office were unable to obtain them.

2:50 Stake, three-year-olds; \$50 added by the

Nora L., b. m., by Norwood Star Nellie Large, b. m., by Milhonaire... 2
Vanity, blk. m., by Bayonne Prince 3
Garland W., b. g.... 4
Time-2.254, 2-234, 2-234, 2-234.

Abandoned Their Trip to Klondike Because the Steamer Was Unseaworthy Edward Bell, of Matamoras, who terests of vitalconsequence are protected. started. August 2nd, for the Klondike Opening of the Ramsdell Night School the Eliza Anderson, on which their tick- Shorthand opens Monday, Sept. 20th. ets provided passage was unseaworthy Courses are offered in bookkeeping, arithand therefore they disposed of their metic, shorthand, typewriting and spe-

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COUNTY SEAT. INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN

COSHEN.

Harvest Home Festival-Going to New Mexico-Sent Up for Thirty Days,

From Our Regular Correspondent. -A harvest home supper will be given in the M. E. Church parlors, next Thursday evening, Sept. 23. Supper will be served from 6 o clock. There will be in-

strumental music. Admission 30 cents. -John Coleman, of Hamptonburgh, will spend the winter in New Mexico in the hope that his health may be bene-

-Frank Coleman and family, of New Haven, Conn.. have been visiting relatives in town.

-"Hat Jane" Hunter, who had been renting some sort of distorbance in the depths of the "Green," was sent. yesterday to the county jail for thirty days.

ACTIVITY IN O. AND W. STOCK. Important Rumor That the Pennsyl-

vania Is Seeking Control of the Road. Ontario and Western was the most active stock dealt in on the New York Stock Exchange, Thursday, the transactions aggregating over 50,000 shares. Some of the buying was understood to be for foreign account, but from well informed sources came the news that most of the buying was for the Pennsylvania Railroad, which had made a deal for acquiring control of the Outario and Western and Susquebanua and Western, and had to go in the open market to pur-

at  $3\frac{1}{2}$ c a yard. It is said that one reason for the Pennsylvania taking the Ontario and Western is that it has lately been disclosed that plans were some time ago laid by which interests adverse to the Pennsylvania were scheming to get control for the building up of a competing trunk line to Pittsburg. By obtaining control or the Ontario and Western, Pennsylvania in-

The fall term of the night school in the Ramsdell School of Business and cial subjects. An opportunity is thus offered those who work during the day to gain the essential elements of a practical education at the smallest possible cost Mr. Rainsdell will be at his office, Saturday morning and evening, to give all desired information, register pupils. arrange about books, etc. Those desiring special preparation for teaching are invited to call Tue-day evening. Sept.

Victimized by Worthless Checks,

A man who called himself A. E. Dexter and said he was a wholesale hquor dealer in New York, spent several weeks in Hancock and victimized the laudlord of Hotel Shanley and a number of business men by giving them worthless checks on the Fulton National Bank, of New York city. He left Hancock a day or two before the cheeks came back with the annonneement that there is no Fulton National Bank.

There is a Class of People

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Dated April 14th, 1897.

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THE BOY AND THE BROOK.

There's nothing, nothing, like the brook
To hold the boyish heart,
To him 'tis like a promise book
Of life's great treasure mart.

It ripples, ripples on its way.
"Where goes it?" asks the boy,
As, idling some bright summer day,
It gives his thoughts employ.

"Tis flowing, flowing to the sea, Wavelets will billows make!"
The boy's heart swells with things to be.
The man's heart is awalte.

Its murmur, murmur is a song Ferming to the boy:
"Why, I must to the world belong,"
A winsome thought, but coy

It spreads and spreads in meadows green, its race a mirror fair; Here an inverted world is seen, The boy finds it a scare.

These depths on depths confound his soul.
"Away" is now his cry,
"The ripples go to find a goal,
A goal too must have L"

And su'l aid sull the brook coes on, The boy to mar hold grown Mayhap has mary all rivest with That boyish thoughts have sown.

And now, sh now, his heart returns, From (i.v.ly the set. To trace the brook among the ferns, The boy that used to be.

A boy's heart still, though old in years, He thanks God this is so And sighs: I find the brook endears The life of long ago

"There's nothing, nothing like the brook
To lift the liurian heart
"Tis like a leaf of Ged's own Book,
Of endless life a part."

—Annie A. Preston, in Springfield (Mass.)

Populing. Republican.

### THE WORLD'S RICHEST WIDOW.

EY ALBORT C. WHITE.

the title use Chillans have given Donna Isadora Consino, the wealthies! woman in all South America. In fact, there are few persons in the world richer than she. Her money is seemingly inexhaustible and her disbursements are limitless. Sepora Consino comes ancestry nighte prominently in the annals of old Spain. Before the union of Arragon with Castile one of her forefathers held an important command beneath the banner of Arragon and was one of the leading spirits in the consummation of the alliance. One of her ancestors was among the first to seek his fortute in the new world. He was a thrifty soul. He came to what is now the republic of Chili-a narrow strip of country along the Pacific coast walled in on the sast by the snow-mantled Ancien Cord Heras and on the west washed by 6,000 miles of sea-and in the division of the lands and spor's of the conquest he o' tained a large share, which he kept and gradually facie, sed by adding to the lards given to Listercareful ne glibors. His descendants followed in his footsteps and greatly and persistently increased the family's possessions. The father of Senora Consino was the mehest man in Chill. Sie inte eventually became her own. Thirty years ago she became the wife of Seror Consino, whose possessions, ac-<u>qui ed în a somezhu similar manuer.</u> were second only to hers. The corso'idation of these two estates made their owners famous as one of the wealthiest families in the world.

At his death, ten years ago, Senor Consino bequeathed all his wealth to his wife, making her the sole possessor of millions of acres of land and millons in money. This woman's wealth has been variously estimated, some placing it as high as \$75,000,000. She has hundreds of thousands of eattle and sheep; blocks upon blocks of real estate in the two chief cities of Chili, Valparaiso and Santiago; many copper, coal and silver mires; a small fleet of steamers, sme'ting works, two railroads and numerous other pieces of productive property which yield her an income of several millions a year. Senora Consino owns the only coal mines in South America, from which she has an income of \$60,000 per month. She enjoys a monopoly in this fuel, as those who will not buy of her must import their coal from England. Her coal trade extends from Panama to the Straits of Magellan, and around Cape Horn to the ports of Uruguay and Argentine. All this coal is shipped in her own vessels-iron steamers of capacities ranging from 2,000 to 4,000 tonswhich were built in France. The dirty little mining town of Lota, hidden away in the hills some 100 miles below Valparaiso, is owned by the senorita, and here she spends most of her time, look-

ing sharply after her interests. She practically makes her home in a small, unpainted house in this smoky place, although but a few miles distant she has a man-ion which cost her a million dollars to build. It stands in the center of the most magnificent pri vate park in the world - an area of 360 acres of land laid out with marvelous skill, embellished with marble statuary. plashing fountains, playful brooks, silvery caseades, grave'ed walks, winding invitingly bereath beautiful trees, cool eaves where lark shadows dim, fantastic grottoes suggestive of elves and sprites, and everywhere a bewildering profusion of flowers, bright and fragrant and almost endless in variety. It requires the labor of 10 garderers, hired by the year, to keep the place in trim. There is another park and palatial

residence, a short distance from Santiago, belonging to the "widow." This is part of "Macul," the most valuable hacienda in Chili, if not in all the southern continent. It is not surpassed anywhere. The estate proper extends from the suburbs of the capital, through a broad and fertile valley, far into the Andes, whose snow-crested peaks mark its eastern boundary. Here are great stretches of cultivated fields, orchards and vineyards, while upon the . hills



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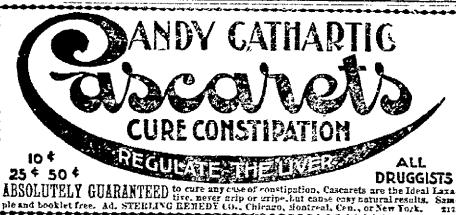
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Another Thing. Wife-You saw Mrs. Browser last

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Wife-What a story! I heard you were sitting with her for more than

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"How so?" asked the reoparte. "Lecause people are much more ready Corrise constitue no dietronicous come true."-Pack

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How It Was affected. "But wasn't his reputation affected by a deal like that?"

"Yes: confirmed."-Chicago Journal.

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18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
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24—West Main street and Walkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—North street, corner Mokham avenue.
27—North and John streets, Erre crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
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214—Pro-prot street and South street.
35—Pulron and Mill streets, hat shop.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condenery.
37—Molberty and Folion streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
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54—North street, near Orchard.
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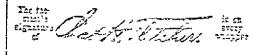
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1; leek, 1; S. H. Talcott, Collection ci vegetables, 2; beets, 1; broccoli, 2; cab-bage, largest head, 1; early Jersey Wakefield, 1; carrots, 1; cucumbers, 2: kohl rabi, 1; neions, 1; citembers, 2; contrabi, 1; neions, 1; eitron meions, 1; watermelous, 2; white onions, 2, parsnips, 2; peppers, 2; pumpkins, 2; cheese pumpkins, 1; pumpkins, other varieties—Japanese, 1; Jonathan, sugar, yellow, oblong, winter, M. W., all 2; winter radishes, 1; squashes, 1 and 2; summer crookneck, 2; winter crookneck, 2; hybrid squashes 1; postar com. 1 squashes hybrid squashes, 1; perfect gem, 1, scallop, 1; other varieties, three 1 and two 2: turnips, 1; rutabaga, 2; cattle, 2; other vegetables, 1 and 2, all to A. Sweet, of Glens Falls. Emil Richards received vegetable premiums as follows: Bean-Henderson bush, 2, string 2; collection of beets 2; twelve table beets, 1; carrots, 2; encumbers, 1; egg plant, 2; okra 1; parsnips, 1; cheese pumpkins, 1; 2; Jonathan pumpkins, 1; radishes, collection of twelve, 2, summer crook kneck squashes, 1: Perfect Gem, 2: collection of turnips, 2; Swiss chard, 1; melon peach, 2, spinach, 2. Miss Sarah Williams was awarded premium on lima beans. String beans, Norman L. Clark, 1; Burpee's stringless, 1; black, 1; white wax, 2; special on hyporid squash, grown in 1896; plum tomatoes, 2, John H. Mortisch, String beans, Norman E. Clark 1896; plum tomatoes, 2. John H. Morrison. String beans, Norman F. Clark, 1; collection, Mrs. A. Powell. 1; cline, 2; valentine, 2, N. F. Clark. Beets, J. M. VanAlst, 2 cabbage, I. T. Mapes, 2. cabbage, succession, Gray Bros. 1; Henderson early, J. M. VanAlst, 1; carrots, L. H. Mapes, 1; Mrs. J. E. Loud, 2; cucumbers, Samuel Greenbalgh, 1: J. L. Swezy, 2; gherkins, Miss Sarah Williams, 1, melons, J. M. VanAlst, 1; A. E. Hasbrouck, 2; water melons. L. H. Mapes, 1; onions, M. S. Askew, 1; Howard Wickham, 2; white onions, M. S. Askew, Wickham, 2; white onions, M. S. Askew, 1; yellow onions. M. S. Askew, 1; pars-1; yellow onions. M. S. Askew, 1; parsley, Norman F. Clark, 1: Miss Sarah Williams, 2; peppers, Norman F. Clark, 1; Gray Bros. 2; large and small peppers, Norman F. Clark, 1; Gray Bros, 2 for large peppers: rhubarb, T. V. Ellis, 2: Gray Bros. 1; squashes, winter crook neck. Mrs. Ellsworth Smith, 1; collection of tomatoes, Gray Bros. 1; Chas. E. Mapes, 2; Isaac T. Mapes, Perfection, 1; Trophies 1; Ponderosa, 2, T. A. Mapes. Trophies, 1: Ponderosa, 2. T. A. Mapes. Mikado, 1: Ponderosa, 2: 1. A. Mapes, Mikado, 1: Ponderosa, 1: A. E. Hasbronck, Marchless, 1; Gray Bros. crimson cushion, 2: 12 red, Mrs. George S. Belding: Ruby Queen, J. E. Loud, 1. Norman F. Clark, Red Pear, 1; plum, 1: Gray Bros. Golden Queen, 1. Norman F. Clark, 2: segme exhibitor, vellow, plum Clark, 2; same exhibitor, yellow plum, 2; peach. 2: Dwarf Champion, 1: Octurmus, 1: Husks, 2. Special premium for decorated wagon to Geo. S. Belding. \$10. DRAWINGS, PENMANSHIP AND PHOTOS.

Crayon portrait, head, James Razey, 1. Donkey's head. Evelyn Sutherland, 1. Mrs. L. E. Cortright. head, 2. Crayon drawing, Miss Addie B. Wright, 1; Albert B. Scholer, 2. Jacob Gunther, Sullivan countytrout. 1. Pencil drawing, Albert Scholer, 1; Miss Maud McElroy 2. Pencil drawing, "Bloody Angle," John M. Austin, 1. Pencil drawing, flowers and fruit, Albert B. Scholer, two first. Char-coal drawing, Annie Gildersleeve, 1. James Razey, portrait, 1; Addie A. Wright, 2. Albert Scholer, 1 and 2. Map drawing, James Razey, 1. Original designs, book covers. Miss Addie A. Wright, 1. Wall paper, Annie Gildereleeve. 1. Lap robe design, James Razey, 1. India ink portrait, Albert B Scholer. Pen picture, E. E. Arthur, 1 Albert Scholer, 2. Photographs, cabinets and photos. Firsts to James Razey, and W. L. Mitchell. Collection of blue points, Mrs. M. G. Morrison, 1. James Razey 2. LINEN.

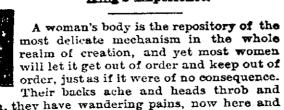
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PREESSIONAL BREAD AND CAKE S. H. Talcott, bread, cake and pass, 1 wheat bread 2 Graham bread 1 soda

PAINTINGS, AMARITIC

Oil paintings-Portrait from life, 1 landscape, nature, 1, marine, nature, 1 and 2, original figures, 1, water colorsand 2, original figures, 1, water colors— Landscape, mature, 1, painting on silk, 1; Albert B. Schloer. Oil paint-ing from life, 2 cherries, 1, water colors, portrait life, 2, water colors, landscape 2, birds, 2, front, 2 painting on satin, 2; painted phicque, 1, the Desirton Grant Special prize All Mrs. Preston Grant. Special prize, oil copy of the Magdelene, Mrs. E. E. Cortright. Oil, marine, 2: Jacqueminot roses, 2. Miss Addie A. Wright. 10th, blacs, 1. strawberry, 2. yard of roses, 2; Mrs. E. E. Cortright Oil. landscape, Mrs. C. S. Kinney, 1 oil, apple blossom time, 2; marine, I black, I. painting on porcelain, 1. painted placque flowers, 2. Mrs. E. G. Crist, Oil, animals—John M. Austin, 1 Dog's head, Mrs. E. G. Medrick, 2, Oil, china tea set, Miss Genevieve Ogden, 2. Marine, S. L. Coates, two 1. Water color, landscape, 2, animal, 1; fruit, 1, painting on portiers, 1, Mrs. L. M. Walthall. Water color, marine, Elizabeth C. Arthur, 2, and on fruit, 1. Animals, Miss Harriet Lyon, 1. Flowers, Annie Gildersleeve, 1; original figures, Elizabeth E. Arthur, 1, pieture trame in water colors, Annic Gildersleeve, 1, painting on satin, Mrs f W. Towner, It painting on bolting cloth, 1: painted screen on canvas, 1; tambourine, 1: Miss Clara DusenA WOMAN'S BODY.

What Its Neglect Leads to. Mrs. Chas. King's Experience.



burn, they have wandering pains, now here and now there. They experience extreme lassitude, that don't-care and want-to-be-left-alone feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness and the blues, yet they will go about their work until they can scarcely stand on their poor swollen feet, and do nothing to help themselves. These are the positive fore-runners of serious womb complications, and unless

given immediate attention will result in untold misery, if not death. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will, beyond the question of a doubt, relieve all this trouble before it becomes serious, and it has cured

many after their troubles had become chronic. The Compound should be taken immediately upon the appearance of any of these symptoms above enumerated. It is a vegetable tonic which invigorates and stimulates the entire female organism, and will produce the same beneficial results in the case of any sick woman as it did with Mrs. CHAS. KING, 1815 Rosewood St., Philadelphia, Pa., whose letter we attach:

"I write these few lines, thanking you for restoring my health. For twelve years I suffered with pains impossible to describe. I had bearing-down feelings, backache, burning sensation in my stomach, chills, headache, and always had black specks before my eyes. I was afraid to stay alone, for I sometimes had four and five fainting spells a day. I had several doctors and tried many patent medicines. Two years ago I was so bad that I had to go to bed and have a trained nurse. Through her, I commenced to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I never had anything give me the relief that it has. I have taken eight bottles, and am now enjoying the best of health again. I can truthfully say it has cured me."

2; painting on felt, Mrs. Geo. S. Belding, 2, porcelain, Mrs. T. F. Walsh, 2; painted fire screen, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; frame for photograph. Annie Gilder-

FARM IMPLEMENTS.

J. Van Cleft & Co., 1, \$30. Weed & Bagshaw, 2, \$15. Mower, L. R. Wallace, white medal. Hayfork, windmill, pump, S. D. Horton, diploma.

Creamery butter, not less than twenty-five pounds. 1; dairy butter, 1; three cheeses, 2, C. N. Predmore & Son; dairy butter, Arden Farms, 2. Same exhibitor second premium for fancy butter, J. W. Utter receiving first.

PAINTINGS, PROFESSIONAL.

Oil, landscape, Miss Lydia Edgar, 2; oil. old door. J. H. Isbrandtsen. 1. Water color, life. Lydia Edgar, 1. Pastel paintings, Lydia Edgar, 1 and 2.

POTATOES.

Collection of potatoes, 1, Beauty of neatly e. Hebron, 1; Early Vermont, 1; Early Six tention. Weeks, 2, B. M. Lindsey. Magnum Bo-Chief num, 1; Monroe seedlings, 1; Snowflake, 2. A. Sweet. Collection of potatoes, 2; New Queen, 1; Queen of the Valley, 2; Early Six Weeks, 1, J. H. Peton. Early Puritan. 1; Queen of the Valley, 1; seed-lings, 1, Emil Richards. New Queen, 2, Fred Smith. Sir Walter Raleigh, 1, Henry L. Kaune.

WAGONS, SLEIGHS AND HARNESS.

Exhibition of wagons, 1; carriages, 1 two-horse carriage, medal; farm wagon, Wagon Company. Safety Buggy Company, special premium, open buggy. Speed sleigh, L. C. Terwilliger, 1.

Exhibition of harness-J. T. Ogden, 1: Fred Volmer, 2; E. E. Raasch, honorable mention. Farni harness, J. T. Ogden, 1; Fred Volmer, 2, Middletown Wagon Co., 3. English coupe hurness, E. E. Raasch, special. Single road harness, John T. Ogden, 1, Fred Volmer, 3, E.E. Raasch, honorable mention. Road harness, double, John T. Ogden, 1: Fred Volmer. 2: Middletown Wagon Co., 3. Pair horse blankers, John T. Ogden, 1; Fred Volmer, 2. Lap robe, Jacob Gunther, 1. Plush lap robe, John T. Ogden, 1. Other articles: Miniature harness, John T. Ogden, special. Horse boots, John T. Ogden, 1. Lap robe, 1, case horse furuishing goods, 1, Fred Volmer, collection lap robes, special; case of oils and dressing, E. E. Raasch 1. Collection of oils, 2: boots, 2, Middletown Wagon

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Mehim piano, Chicago Cottage organ white medals, Munn & Co. M. S. Askew was awarded a white medal for his ente automatical French organ

Exhibition heaters and ranges, 1, \$10; portable range, white medal, parlor stove and henter, white medal, Spooner & Ayres Gasolene stove, Standard Oil Company, diploma

GRAIN AND SELD.

Specimen of sorghum, Enal Richards, collection of native grasses, Mrs. A. Powell, 1. Mrs. George S. Belding, 2, wheat, Martha amber, 1. Miss II. O. Veltman, 2; golden prolific, W. W. Muckay, 1, wheat, red. Fultz A. Harden, 1, Mrs. Ellsworth Smith 1. Other grain and seed-One bushel Canadian field peas, Houston Brothers, 1; German millet, V. H. Mapes, L. C. H. Mastin received thirteen firsts and four seconds for special exhibits.

NOTES.

-Supervisor Cook and a party of attendants escorted seventy-eight patients through the grounds, Thursday after-

-Robert Johnson, whose interest in the tair and whose influence in dog circles enabled visitors to the grounds to see Pierpont Morgan's dogs and other well known dogs of high degree, entertained George Greer and John Glasgow, Thursday. The latter is in charge of Sugar King Havemeyer's well known kennel of Irish setters. Mr. Johnson promises a dog show next year, which has never been excelled in Southern New York.

-The Salisbury Mills Band was on hand, to-day, bright and early and furnished inspiring music.

-A special premium was awarded to William Burke for his fine cider brandy. Asst. Sec'y. Wm. Eager judged this de-

partment, there being no regular judge. -Carter's restaurant was cleaned out berry; water flowers, Annie Gildersleeve, of everything eatable by 2:30, Thursday

afternoon. One hundred pounds of chicken and fifty pound of roast beef were only about half enough.

-E. N. Barker, of Newburgh, who has taken such excellent care of the dogs, was considerably exercised, this morning, when two beagle hounds escaped from attendants. They belonged to J. Laird, of Newburgh, and are numbered 101 and 102 and answer to "Punch" and "Juno."

-All the exhibits are not at the fair. Lipield & Son show a branch of a peach tree which contained nearly a hundred peaches. It was from Milo Segar's farm, near Bloomingburgh.

-James Lord, of Lord & Taylor, West Newburgh, released five carrier pigeons at Campbell Hall and three from the fair grounds, this morning. The latter were home in nineteen minutes.

-Harry Lindsey's perspective drawings, exhibited in the main ball, are very neatly executed and attracted much at-

-Chief Carpenter Benjamin got in the grounds through unlocked gates, Thursday night, without being seen by a watchman. He reported the fact to the Superintendent to-day.

-Dr. Talcott receives no end of praise for the interest shown by the Hospital exhibits. They formed one of the largest, most complete and meritorious exhibits on the grounds.

Orange County may well brag of E.

G. H. WHYTE. Mason and Builder. Jobbing promptly attended to—14 Grove street, Middletown, N. Y. T. 3 Box 452. dtoNov14 on the grounds.

diploma; top buggy, end spring, 1; H. Harriman. His Arden Ferm exhibits Victor gear, special; end spring, open buggy, 1; canopy top surrey, 1; trap, 1; delivery wagon, special; Middletown enterprise and love for the county of his enterprise and love for the county of his choice has been many times expressed. -The ladies who have served as

judges, superintendents and assistants. feasted to-day on the fruit and cake ex-

-The untiring zeal of the ladies in charge of the domestic exhibits is er tainly worthy of notice, and a "card of thanks" should be written up for them. There was not a shirker present, and honest effort characterized every move. The right selections were surely made.

-1. T. Decker has showered many ladies with McMonagle & Rogers' celebrated Italian violet and other per-

-What are you going to grow or make for next year's tair?

-The wind blew a gale over the grounds, this morning, causing the tents to flap and snap, while every flag of every nation waved out a welcome to those who took advantage or the early morning to pass through the uncrowded

-Millen & Co. closed their factory, Thursday, to allow their large force of employes to take in the fair.

-Mrs. Anna Perguson, who has an exhibit of wool work, is the widow of the former Secretary of Typographical Union No. 6. She has many friends among the

-I. M. Allerton, of Port Jervis, who was on the grounds, co-day, regretted the entire absence of the historical exhibit. He states that when he had charge of the exhibit at Port Jervis he filled a whole tent with exhibits

-The pocketbook found by Mrs. Wilhams contains a ticket on Hart Davis, made in favor of Mrs. Hall.

-" Tommy" Murray, the well known ball player, came up from New York to take in the fair.

-A boy was reported lost on the fair grounds, Thursday afternoon. He was one of twins, and was finally found near the trolley main line by Supt. Goodale, and returned to the werried mother. -The cavalcade of horses, to-day noon.

was witnessed by about eight hundred -Everybody has agreed that changes

must be made in next year's ru'es and arrangements and then look out for a monster Orange county fair. -Carter's eating tent was blown down

by an extra strong puff of wind about noon, to-day. One of the women employed in the tent had her feet badly scalded by a boiler of hot water toppling over on them. The tent that sheltered the trained horse also went down.

-E. N. Barker will give \$5 reward for the return of the two beagles which eseaped, this morning.

-Lyons, the Binghamton auctioneer, has sold a large number of whips. His

gift of talk is something wonderful, and he sold a whip to every man he taked to. -In the 2:35 stake race, this afternoon. Ella Madison had a walkover, none of the other entries appearing.

MARY POWELL EXCURSION.

### To Be Run by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Sept. 23.

On Thursday, Sept. 23rd, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will run a Mary Powell excursion from Middletown to New York, rate for round trip only one dollar. Tickets may be secured in advance from members of the brotherhood. If the day should prove to be stormy the excursion will be postponed until Friday, 24th, inst. The object of this excursion is a worthy one, it only for the brotherhood sick benefit fund, and should be liberally patronized. Don't forget the date, Sept. 23rd.

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